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The Honorable Albert C. Hall Assistant Secretary of Defense (Intelligence) Department of Defense Mashington, D. C. 20301

Dear Al:

I anticipate no problems in providing the CIA EVENT file to COINS as requested in your 21 January memorandum. I suggest that your office arrange a meeting between potentially interested Community users and [ of CIA's Office of Weapons Intelto define the data and maintenance schedules ligence required to provide maximum COINS utility. Following that, we estimate that approximately six weeks may be required to perform the necessary computer programming to prepare the file for COINS access via the NSA system.

Sincerely,

/s/ Bill

W. E. Colby Director

CONCUR:

Deputy Director for Intelligence

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Proctor/Walsh (info) MEMORANDUM FOR: Messi Attached is a response--drafted by ( -for the DCI to make to an Al Hall request for adding a CIA file to COINS. The response has been coordinated with OWI and OJCS and also has the blessing of Danny Graham. Jili Defermen 4 Feb 74 (DATE) FORM NO. REPLACES FORM 10-101 (47) 101 WHICH MAY BE USED. 1 AUG 54

MEMORANDUM FOR: Attached is response for DCI to make to an Al Hall request for adding a CIA file to COINS. Per General Graham's instructions to me (see xerox buck slip in attached file), Danny wants to see the DCI response before it goes final. Attached buck slip from O/DDI notes Danny's request and asks me to get this to him and back to O/DDI. They would like to get their letter to Executive Secretariat by 1 Feb. 74. The DDI reply looks OK to me. No major policy is involved. Recommend approval. Can you move this to and back from General Graham for me? Pls advise. REPLACES FORM 10-101 1 AUG 54 101 WHICH MAY BE USED.

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MEMORANDUM FOR:	
CRS, informs me you want to show this to General Graham before transmittal to Al Hall.  I shall not forward to the DDI and DCI until I hear from you. FYI, I would like to get this letter to ES sometime tomorrow.	
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Remarks:

Please prepare response for DCI signature.

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Could you pleas	e draft the requested
DCI response? Pleas	e route thru DDI (note
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